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OUTLINE BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

NAME:

Edward T. Dickinson

DATE OF BIRTH:

March 5, 1911

PLACE OF BIRTH:

Brooklyn, N. Y.

EDUCATION:

Yale 1932 A.B.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE:

1932-1935

Trust Auditor, Brooklyn Trust Company

Personal and corporate trust activities.

1935-1936

Special Agent, Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York

Advice and promotion activities with prominent insurance brokerage firms on all types of casualty and bonding insurance.

1936-1942

United States Steel Corporation

Office of Chairman, * Finance Committee 1936-37 *Edward R. Stettinius, Jr.

Corporate fiscal and financial policy problems in addition to participating in background activities essential to the CIO-Steel Pact which was the first major vertical industry-labor agreement in history.

Assistant Director, Economic Research Group 1937-38

Supervised coordination of 12 economists, 20 lawyers and numerous corporation and subsidiary company officials in preparing testimony for hearings before Temporary National Economic Committee. Author of summarizing monograph "Factors in the Pricing of Steel".

Office of Chairman, Board of Directors 1938-39

Expansion of activities undertaken in the Office of the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

On temporary leave to assist formation of National Defense Advisory Commission 1940.

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Tales.

Research Assistant to Chairman, * Board of Directors 1940-42. *Irving S. Olds

Review and analysis and recommendation of policy decision to the Chairman on industrial expansion programs, marketing problems and corporate financial programs.

1942-1943 Executive Director, Planning Committee, W.P.B.

Supervision and coordination of economic, industrial, and administrative research necessary to the planning and implementation of the war production effort. In addition, undertook in London negotiations with the British Office of the War Cabinet to coordinate the British and American production effort. The above work was performed while on leave from the Steel Corporation at the specific request of Mr. Donald Nelson.

- U. S. Marine Corps Awarded Bronze Star. 1943-1946
- Vice President & Director Overseas Operations, World 1946-1947 Wide Development Corporation

Supervision and direction of all overseas operations in international trade, economic surveys and engineering services. This position required extensive travel in all parts of the world. I left this company and gave up my ownership interest in it when my partners made a deal with Peron which I did not approve.

- Vice President in Charge of Educational and Religious Films, 1947-1948 United World Films, subsidiary Universal Pictures Company
- 1948-1950 Director, Program Coordination Division, Economic Cooperation Administration

Responsible for the recommendation to the Administrator of the division of Marshall Plan aid. This work included the review and analysis of all requests by the participating countries for ECA financing, including the development and review of statistical forecasts of European internal and external trade. Supervised and edited a series of country studies for each of the Marshall Plan countries which are considered in format and content outstanding contributions to this field. Some of these studies

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ECA Member of the Foreign Military Assistance Coordinating Committee, serving with Ambassador James Bruce, representing the Department of State, and General Lyman L. Lemnitzer, representing the Department of Defense. Responsible in this capacity for congressional presentations and the economic and industrial aspects of foreign military aid programs.

This position required extensive high level governmental conversations, both in Europe and Southeast Asia, and participation in international conferences related to economic and military aid.

Assistant to The Joint Secretaries, Department of Defense

The Joint Secretaries consist of the Secretaries of the Army, Navy and Air Force and are responsible for recommending high policy to the Secretary of Defense.

July 1951 to Deputy for Installations, Office of the Secretary, USAF January 1952

Responsible for expediting the development and construction of the United States air base structure throughout the world. Purpose of 6-month appointment was to scrutinize organizational and operational problems and recommend changes to become effective during construction season of calendar 1952.

Oct. 31, 1951 Appointed Vice Chairman, National Security Resources Board WAR EXPERIENCE:

- Director Industrial Sabotage Operations, European Theater of Operations, Office of Strategic Services.
- The OSS representative, Combined Intelligence Objectives Committee, Combined Chiefs of Staff, European Theater of Operations.
- Temporary assignment with Justice Jackson to prepare background economic case Nuremburg Trials.
- U. S. Member Emergency Economic Committee for Europe.

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1950-1951